AGENDA

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AND APPEALS MEETING THURSDAY, JULY 13, 2023 - 4:30 PM MCALLEN CITY HALL, 1300 HOUSTON AVENUE CITY COMMISSION CHAMBERS, 3RD FLOOR

At any time during the course of this meeting, the Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeals may retire to Executive Session under Texas Government Code 551.071(2) to confer with its legal counsel on any subject matter on this agenda in which the duty of the attorney to the Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeals under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code. Further, at any time during the course of this meeting, the Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeals may retire to Executive Session to deliberate on any subject slated for discussion at this meeting, as may be permitted under one or more of the exceptions to the Open Meetings Act set forth in Title 5, Subtitle A, Chapter 551, Subchapter D of the Texas Government Code.

CALL TO ORDER – Chairperson Jose Gutierrez

1. MINUTES:

a) Minutes for the meeting held on June 21, 2023

2. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

- a) Request of Adan Pena on behalf of Thirumurugan Gopalasamy for the following variance to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 5 feet and 7 inches into the 25 feet rear yard setback for a swimming pool at Lot 28, Embers, Hidalgo County, Texas; 305 Cornell Avenue. (ZBA2023-0049)
- b) Request of Cynthia Zimmerman on behalf of World Gospel Mission for a special exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 13.5 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 20 feet by 20 feet, at Lots 23 and 24, Block 11, College Heights Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 2107 Jackson Avenue. (ZBA2023-0053)
- c) Request of George Craft for a special exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 10 feet into the 10 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 18 feet by 20 feet, at Lot 11, Timberhill Villa Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 9401 North 10th Street Unit 4-11. (ZBA2023-0054)
- d) Request of Ana G. Hinojosa De Soto for a Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 2.5 feet into the 10 feet rear yard setback for an existing metal carport measuring 18 feet by 16 feet at Lot 116, Arrowhead Subdivision Phase 2, Hidalgo County, Texas; 2820 North 39th Street. (ZBA2023-0055)
- e) Request of Manuel Villegas for the following Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport measuring 16.83 feet by 18.83 feet at Lot 156, Del Sol Phase 2 Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 4319 North 26th Lane. (ZBA2023-0058)
- f) Request of Roberto and Rebecca Vela for the following Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 20 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 26 feet by 20 feet at Lot 58, Olivarez No. 5 Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 2909 Tamarack Avenue. (ZBA2023-0059)
- g) Request of Roosevelt Alvarado for the following Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow: 1) an encroachment of 11 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 19 feet by 20 feet and 2) and encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 19 feet by 20 feet on Lot 33, Block 4, Tierra Del Sol Unit No. 1 Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 2524 Goldcrest Avenue. (ZBA2023-0060)

- h) Request of Rodolfo Rios for the following variance to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for an existing metal porch at Lot 24 and E20' Lot 23, Fern Terrace, Hidalgo County, Texas; 100 Fern Avenue. (ZBA2023-0050)
- i) Request of Donaciano Gomez for the following Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 23 feet into the 25 front yard setback and an encroachment of 5 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for a metal carport measuring 20 feet by 20 feet, at Lot 1, Lincoln Terrace No. 8, Hidalgo County, Texas; 2721 Upas Avenue. (ZBA2023-0051)
- j) Request of Wilfredo Charles for the following Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 21 feet into the 25 front yard setback for an existing metal carport measuring 18 feet by 18 feet, at Lot 71, Idela Park UT No. 1, Hidalgo County, Texas; 2752 Judith Avenue. (ZBA2023-0052)
- k) Request of Gilma Cuellar for a Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for an existing carport measuring 10 feet by 47 feet at Lot 24, Brookwood Subdivision, Unit 2 Hidalgo County, Texas; 4105 Zinnia Avenue. (ZBA2023-0056)
- I) Request of Baldemar Sanchez for a special exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 20 feet into the 25-foot front yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 20 feet by 30 feet at Lot 46, Idela Park Subdivision, Unit 2 Hidalgo County, Texas; 5101 South 29th Street. (ZBA2023-0057)
- m) Request of Maria Saldana for a Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow: 1) an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover measuring 21 feet by 20 feet, and 2) an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet west side yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover measuring 21 feet by 20 feet, at Lot 11, Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2, Hidalgo County, Texas; 3036 Olga Avenue. (ZBA2023-0044) (TABLED: 06/21/2023)
- n) Request of Mario Ferron for a Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover measuring 18 feet by 20 feet, at Lot 43, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 3409 Gardenia Avenue. (ZBA2023-0045) (TABLED: 06/21/2023)

3. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a) 2712 Norma Avenue
- **b)** 2021 Highland Avenue
- c) 2017 Highland Avenue
- d) 1940 South 33rd Street
- e) 1936 South 33rd Street
- f) 1905 Robin Avenue

ADJOURNMENT:

IF ANY ACCOMMODATIONS FOR A DISABILITY ARE REQUIRED, PLEASE NOTIFY THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT (681-1250) 72 HOURS BEFORE THE MEETING DATE. WITH REGARD TO ANY ITEM, THE ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS AND APPEALS MAY TAKE VARIOUS ACTIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO RESCHEDULING AN ITEM IN ITS ENTIRETY FOR PARTICULAR ACTION AT A FUTURE DATE.

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HIDALGO CITY OF MCALLEN

The McAllen Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeals convened in a Regular Meeting on Wednesday, June 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m. in the McAllen City Hall, Commission Chambers with the following present:

Present: Jose Gutierrez Chairperson

Ann Tafel Member
Hugo Avila Member
Rogelio Rodriguez Member
Sam Saldivar Alternate
Juan Mujica Alternate

Absent: Hiram A. Gutierrez Member

Staff Present: Benito Alonzo Assistant City Attorney I

Rodrigo Sanchez Senior Planner Omar Sotelo Senior Planner

Samantha Trevino Planner I

Porfirio Hernandez Planning Technician II
Jessica Pugo Planning Technician I
Carmen White Administrative Assistant

CALL TO ORDER -Chairperson Jose Gutierrez

1. MINUTES:

a) Minutes for the meeting held on June 7, 2023.

The minutes for the meeting held on June 7, 2023 were approved. The motion to approve the minutes were made by Vice-Chairperson Ann Tafel. Mr. Hugo Avila seconded the motion, which carried unanimously with five members present and voting.

2. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

a) Request of Maria Saldana for a Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow: 1) an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover measuring 21 feet by 20 feet, and 2) an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet west side yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover measuring 21 feet by 20 feet, at Lot 11, Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2, Hidalgo County, Texas; 3036 Olga Avenue. (ZBA2023-0044)

Ms. Trevino stated the applicant was requesting a special exception to encroach 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback, and 6 feet into the 6 feet west side yard setback. Both requests are for an existing metal carport constructed to protect her vehicles from rain, hail, and the sun, as the house does not have a garage.

The subject property was located along the north side of Olga Avenue, and north of Sam Houston Elementary. The Lot had 50 feet of frontage along Olga Avenue and a depth of 102.70 feet for total square feet of 5,135 feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. There is R-1 district in all directions.

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Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2 was recorded in June 1995. The plat shows a 20 feet front yard setback and a 6 feet side yard setback. A stop work order was posted July 8, 2022 for carport built without a permit. An application for a building permit was submitted July 26, 2022. The special exception application was submitted May 9, 2023.

The applicant was requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback and an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet west side yard setback for an existing carport with canvas cover in order to protect her vehicles from the weather elements.

The applicant proposed to reduce the size of the carport by 5 feet in order to clear a 5 feet utility easement that runs concurrently with the front yard setback adjacent to the front property line. The proposed reduction will result in the carport dimensions modified to a size of 16 feet by 20 feet.

The front yard setback was 20 feet along Olga Avenue. Front yard setbacks help to keep the character of single-family residential areas by maintaining the street yard and curb appeal of properties in a subdivision. The carport could be relocated to the rear of the property and accessed through the alley to maintain curb appeal and be closer in compliance.

The side yard setback is 6 feet for the common side property line. A 6 feet wooden wall separates the driveway from the neighboring property.

During a site visit, staff noticed that there were no other carports within Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

Staff had not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

Staff recommended disapproval of the request since there are no other carports, nor have other special exceptions been granted for Lots within Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2.

Vice-Chairperson Tafel asked staff if there was a neighbor on the west side and up to the property line. Ms. Trevino stated yes.

Board member Avila asked staff regarding the canvas carport that was curved; was it measured from the curve. Ms. Trevino stated they measure it from the posts.

Ms. Maria Saldana, the applicant stated the carport was built in 2022. Chairperson Gutierrez asked if she requested a building permit. She responded no. Chairperson Gutierrez asked if she had someone build it and if that person knew about obtaining a permit. She stated she hired someone and did not mention anything about a permit.

Board member Avila asked if there was any space between the column and the fence. Ms. Saldana stated just a few inches.

Chairperson Jose Gutierrez asked if there was anyone present in favor of the special

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exception. There was no one else in favor of the special exception.

Chairperson Jose Gutierrez asked if there was anyone present in opposition of the special exception. There was someone in opposition of the special exception.

Board member Avila mentioned to staff that the applicant was willing to reduce the carport back five feet to clear the utility easements. Ms. Trevino stated yes. Staff stated a carport in the rear would not be feasible because the alley was not paved. When it rains, it was not safe to drive on.

Board member Rodriguez asked staff if the applicant was willing to move it inward to avoid the 6 feet. Ms. Trevino stated they did not discuss that with the applicant. When she submitted the application, she initially wrote a letter to move it five feet back to clear the utility easement. It was not until staff went to the side was she noticed it was encroaching into the 6 feet on the side.

Chairperson Gutierrez asked Ms. Saldana if she wanted to table the item until the next meeting in order to reconsider her request with staff. She responded yes.

Following discussion, Mr. Hugo Avila <u>moved</u> to table the special exception to reconsider your options with staff. Mr. Juan Mujica seconded the motion. The Board voted to table the special exception with five members present and voting.

b) Request of Mario Ferron for a Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover measuring 18 feet by 20 feet, at Lot 43, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 3409 Gardenia Avenue. (ZBA2023-0045)

Ms. Trevino stated the applicant was requesting the special exception to encroach 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport to provide protection for an individual with health concerns.

The subject property was located along the south side of Gardenia Avenue between North 34th and North 36th Streets. The Lot has 63.50 feet of frontage and a depth of 102.00 feet for a total square footage of 6,477 feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. The surrounding land use is R-1 District in all directions.

Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision was recorded March 12, 2001. The plat states a 20 feet front yard setback. A stop work order was posted August 17, 2022. A building permit application was submitted October 10, 2022. A special exception application was submitted May 15, 2023. The applicant states the carport was built by a contractor but without a building permit.

The applicant was requesting a special exception to encroach 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport. The carport is to provide protection from the sun exposure for a person with health concerns.

The front yard setback was 20 feet along Gardenia Avenue. Front yard setbacks help to keep the character of single-family residential areas by maintaining the street yard and curb appeal of properties in a subdivision.

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The plat for this subdivision indicated a 5 feet utility easement adjacent to the front property line and runs concurrently with the front yard setback. The carport appears to be encroaching into the utility easement. The utility easement abandonment process would need to be undertaken in order to attempt to resolve the 5 feet carport encroachment into the utility easement.

At the Zoning Board and Adjustment and Appeals meeting of June 7, 2023 a request for an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover was approved for Lot 74, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of August 17, 2022 a request for an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed metal carport that was approved at Lot 12, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of June 3, 2020, a request for an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet, front yard setback for a proposed carport was approved for Lot 90, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision.

There was an existing two-car garage that is part of the home that is used for storage of vehicles and other items.

Measurements provided are without benefit of a survey.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New property owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

Staff had not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

Staff recommended disapproval of the request since the carport also appears to encroach into a 5 feet utility easement adjacent to the property line.

Chairperson Gutierrez asked staff the Stop Work Order that was issued last year, was it for the building of the carport. Staff responded yes. He asked staff what happened afterwards. Ms. Trevino stated the building permit was submitted a month or so later. To her knowledge, they might have continued with the construction or it might had been completed.

Mr. Mario Ferron, the applicant stated he noticed neighbors had a similar carport and asked for their contractor's information. Chairperson Gutierrez asked if the contractor ever mentioned about a building permit. Mr. Ferron responded no.

Board member Mujica asked Mr. Ferron how long had lived in his house. He stated 20 years. In addition, he asked when the carport was built. He stated 3 years. Mr. Ferron stated that years ago his wife had acquired a medical condition that does not allow her to be exposed to sun light for a period. She uses the garage to be able to have value time with her grandchild without being in the sun.

Following discussion, Vice-Chairperson Ann Tafel **moved** to table the special exception to reduce the columns back to be in compliance. Mr. Juan Mujica seconded the motion. The Board voted to table the item with five members present and voting.

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c) Request of Uriel Torres on behalf of Maria del Carmen Ruiz for a Special Exception to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 16 feet into the 30 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 16 feet by 14 feet, at Lot 22, Rosa Linda Subdivision, Hidalgo County, Texas; 3401 Harvey Drive. (ZBA2023-0046)

Ms. Trevino stated the applicant was requesting the special exception to encroach 16 feet into the 30 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport that will provide protection from adverse weather.

The subject property was located along the south side of Harvey Drive, near the end of a cul-de-sac. The property has a Lot frontage of 65 feet and a depth of 130 feet for a total square footage of 8,450 feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. The surrounding land use is R-1 (single family residential) District in all directions.

Rosa Linda Subdivision was recorded September 8, 1971. The plat shows a 30 feet front yard setback. An application for a building permit has not been submitted. An application for a special exception request was submitted on May 15, 2023.

The applicant was requesting the special exception to encroach 16 feet into the 30 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport that will provide protection for the property owner who was elderly. The applicant stated that the proposed carport will provide protection from inclement weather and lessen the possibility of slips and falls from rainfall on walking surfaces.

A windshield survey along Harvey Drive revealed only one carport constructed with a possible encroachment within Rosa Linda Subdivision; however, a review of Building Permits and Inspections records did not reveal a building permit for the construction.

Special exceptions are granted and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New property owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

There were no paved alley access to the subject property.

There were no utility easements running concurrently with the setback.

Staff had not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

Staff recommended disapproval of the special exception request since carports are not characteristic of construction within the front yards of Rosa Linda Subdivision, and approval of the special exception request may encourage other property owners to build similar structures.

Mr. Uriel Torres, representing the applicant Maria Del Carmen Ruiz stated he wanted to build a carport for protection against inclement weather. In addition, his aunt who is disabled wanted to protect against falls pertaining to wet weather. He stated the front yard setback was 30.6 feet from the curb to the house. The carport would measure 16 feet by 14 feet wide. He also stated that from the neighbor it would be 7 feet side setback from the carport.

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Chairperson Gutierrez asked Mr. Torres if there were any other carports in the neighborhood. Mr. Torres stated there two other carports.

Board member Avila explained to the applicant that the special exception does not run with the land. If for any reason, the owner sells the property the new owner would have to come before this Board to keep the carport. Otherwise, they would have to take it down.

Board member Rodriguez asked staff if the applicant plans to connect the carport to the house would the front setback measurements change since it will be one structure. Ms. Trevino stated the front yard setback would be 30 feet regardless. The house was built at 30 feet. Whether the applicant wants to attach or not attach the carport the only remedy was the encroachment into the front yard setback.

Following discussion, Vice-Chairperson Ann Tafel **moved** to approve the special exception per staff's recommendation. Mr. Sam Saldivar seconded the motion. The Board voted to approve the special exception with four members voting aye and one member, Rogelio Rodriguez voting nay.

3. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

- a) 1100 South 10th Street
- b) 305 Cornell Avenue
- c) 100 Fern Avenue
- d) 2721 Upas Avenue
- e) 2752 Judith Avenue
- f) 2107 Jackson Avenue
- g) 9401 North 10th Street
- h) 2820 North 30th Street
- i) 4105 Zinnia Avenue
- i) 5101 South 29th Street
- **k)** 4319 North 26th Lane
- I) 2909 Tamarack Avenue
- m) 2524 Goldcrest Avenue
- n) 1400 Westway Avenue

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeal, Chairperson Jose Gutierrez **moved** to adjourn the meeting.

Chairperson Jose Gutierrez

Planning Department

Memo

TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

DATE: June 22, 2023

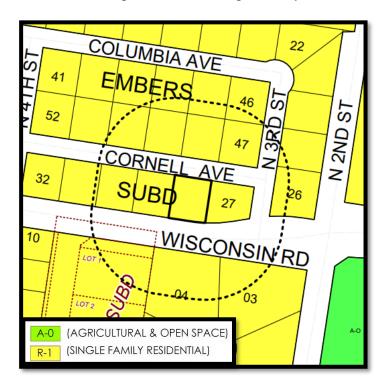
SUBJECT: Request of Adan Pena on behalf of Thirumurugan Gopalasamy for the following

variance to the City of McAllen Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 5 feet and 7 inches into the 25 feet rear yard setback for a swimming pool at Lot 28, Embers,

Hidalgo County, Texas; 305 Cornell Avenue. (ZBA2023-0049)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a variance to allow an encroachment of 5 feet and 7 inches into the 25 feet rear yard setback for a proposed swimming pool. The swimming pool is for recreational purposes measuring 19.5 feet by 10.6 feet.

PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located north of Wisconsin Road and west of North 2nd Street. The zoning of the subject property is zoned R-1 (single family) District. The surrounding land use is single family residences.





BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: The Embers Subdivision was recorded on June 6, 2016. The site plan provided shows a proposed home and a swimming pool encroaching 5 feet and 7 inches into the 25 feet rear yard setback. A building permit for both the home and swimming pool have not been submitted. A variance was requested on May 19, 2023.

ANALYSIS: The plat indicates lots 1 through 5 and 23 through 32 have a 25 rear yard setback. The rear setback for these lots are much greater than the other lots within the Embers Subdivision. The proposed swimming pool would be sitting on lot 28. Lot 28 does have a 15 ft. utility easement. The swimming pool would not encroach into the easement. Should the request be approved, it will only approve of the 5 feet and 7 inches encroachment into the 25 feet setback.

The applicant is aware should the variance request be approved a building permit for the home should be submitted first.

A review of the Planning Department records did reveal approved variances for lots with the same rear yard setback and similar request.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to this request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the variance request as there are other approved variances in the area.

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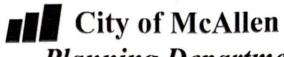
APPEAL TO ZONING BOARD OF

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ADJUSTMENT TO MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE

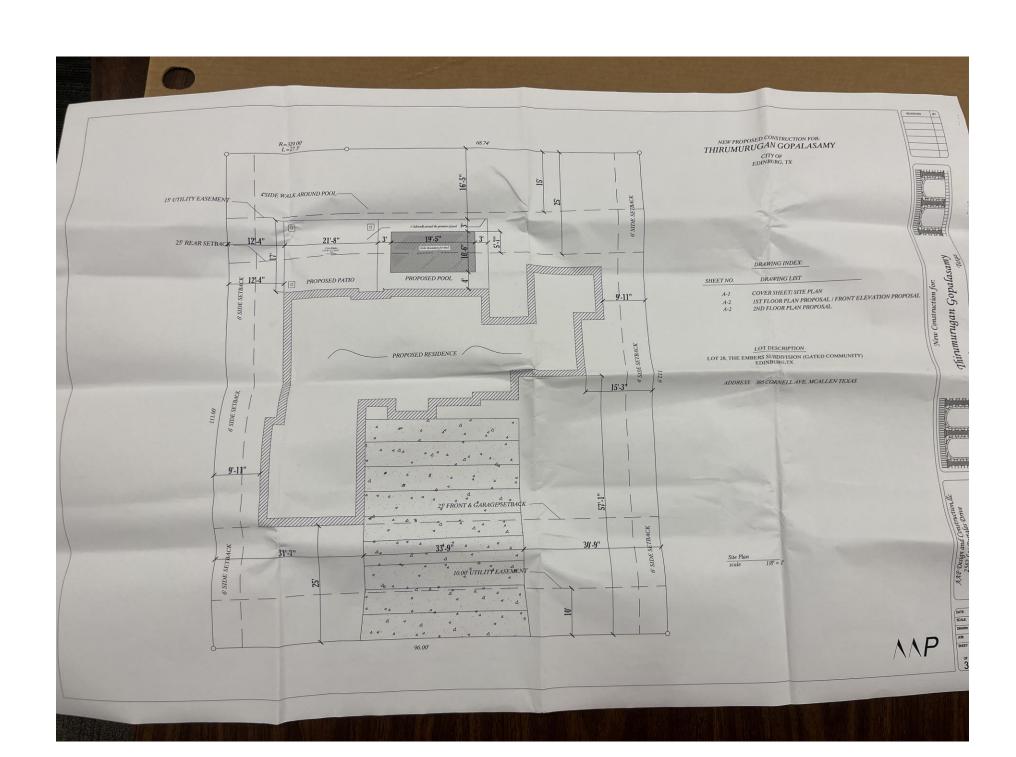
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Applicant	Name ADAN PENA Phone 956) 243-0145 Address 1805 Ruben M. Torres, State 23 E-mail adapengo 1 agrantom City Brownialle State To Zip 78526
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Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Date OS 1923 Print Name THIRDMURGAN MARAGAN DOWNER Authorized Agent
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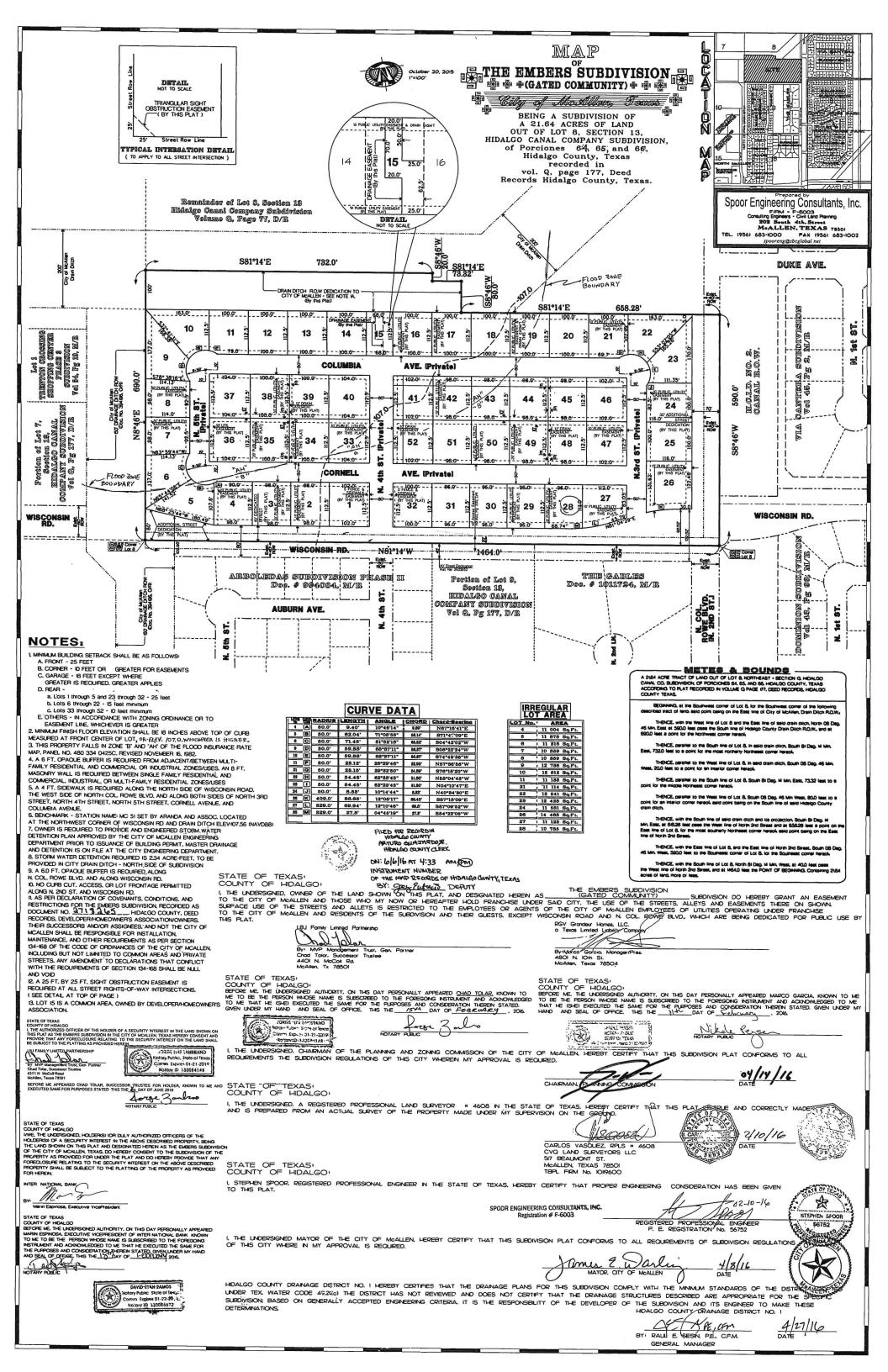
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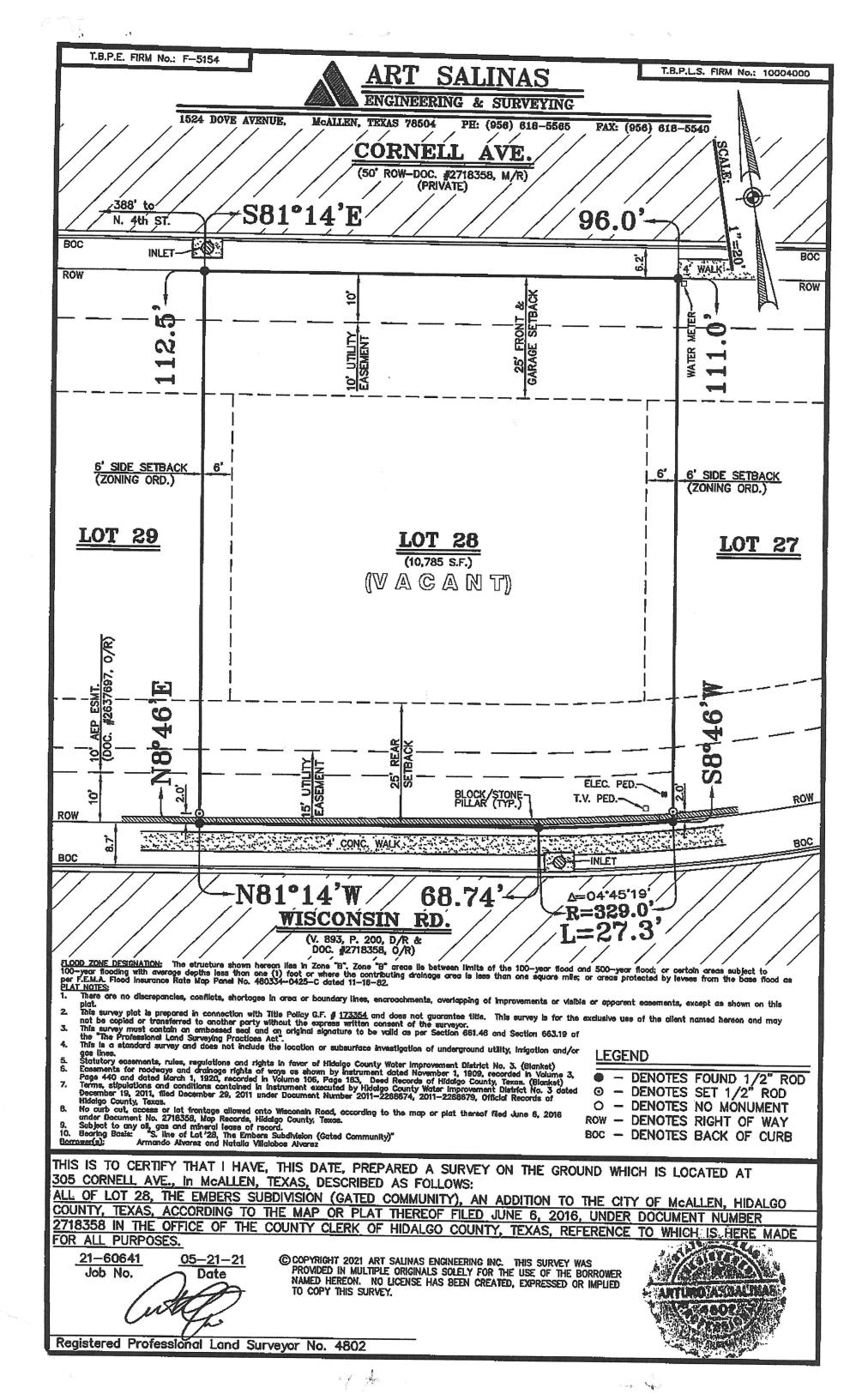


Planning Department REASON FOR APPEAL & BOARD ACTION

*A variance will not be granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor shall it be abselved by economic gain or loss. In order to make a finding of hardship and grant the variance, the Zoning Board of Adjustment will consider any combination of the following: (Please use an additional page if necessary to complete responses) "Information provided here by the applicant does not guarantee that the Board will grant a variance. "Applicant should include all information they determine is relevant, but it is not required to provide responses to all sections listed below. 1. Describe the special circumstance or condition affecting the land involved such that the strict application of the provisions required would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land: - REME SCTRACK FOR US OF PRODING PATTO AS DERE PART - HONG TAKES UP THE WHOLE AREA - MENTINAM ENCROPACIANCEUT S'7' INTO 25' SCTIBACK 2. Describe how the variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of the legal property rights of the owner: RECENTATIONAL PURPOSED DUCY
Chairman, Board of Adjustment Date Signature









Memo

TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

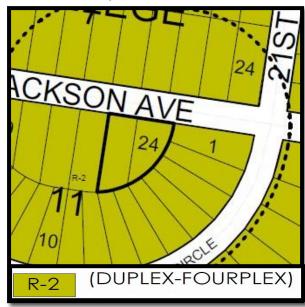
DATE: July 7, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF CYNTHIA ZIMMERMAN ON BEHALF OF WORLD GOSPEL MISSION

FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE CITY OF MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 13.5 FEET INTO THE 20 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR A PROPOSED CARPORT MEASURING 20 FEET BY 20 FEET, AT LOTS 23 AND 24, BLOCK 11, COLLEGE HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, HIDALGO

COUNTY, TEXAS; 2107 JACKSON AVENUE. (ZBA2023-0053)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 13.5 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback, for a proposed carport measuring 20 feet by 20 feet. The applicant stated that the tenants that reside at the apartments would use the carport for shade. The tenants are also works at Taylor Christian School and Taylor Community Center, which are ministries associated with World Gospel Mission.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the south side of Jackson Avenue just west of South 21st Street. The property is zoned R-2 (duplex-fourplex residential) District. There is R-2 district in all directions.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: College Heights Subdivision was recorded December 28, 1926.

There is a 20 feet front yard setback as per of the Zoning District. An application for a building permit has not yet been submitted. The special exception application was submitted May 22, 2023.

ANALYSIS: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 13.5 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport measuring 20 feet by 20 feet in order to protect the tenants (who are also workers for the ministry) from the weather elements.

The encroachment request by the applicant is 13.5 feet however, after review of the submitted site plan shows the actual encroachment to be 8.5 feet based on a 20 feet front yard setback.

There is an existing parking area on the front and side of the building where two carports will be constructed. The special exception request is for the carport to be constructed along the north side of the building adjacent to Jackson Avenue.

During a site visit, staff noticed several other carports within the block that may not have building permits or special exceptions.

At the Zoning Board and Adjustments and Appeals meeting of June 3, 2020 the Board unanimously approved an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a carport at Lot 14.

At the Zoning Board and Adjustments and Appeals meeting of July 6, 2017 the Board unanimously approved an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a carport at Lot 11.

At the Zoning Board and Adjustments and Appeals meeting of November 17, 2021 the Board unanimously approved an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback and 3 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for a carport at Lots 13 &14.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the request since in the past there have been other approvals for carports within this subdivision. Various types of building encroachments are characteristic of College Heights Subdivision as the subdivision was established in 1926.

City of McAllen

Planning Department APPEAL TO ZONING BOARD OF

ZBA 2023-0053 311 North 15th Street McAllen, TX 78501 P. O. Box 220 McAllen, TX 78505-0220 (956) 681-1250 (956) 681-1279 (fax)

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	Legal Description College Heights Lots 23+24 BIK 11
ct	Subdivision Name College Heights Street Address 2107 W Jackson Ave.
Project	Number of lots Gross acres 2325 Existing Zoning Residential Existing Land Use Housing Reason for Appeal (please use other side if necessary) Carports are necessary to Protect the resident's cars / \$300.00 non-refundable filling fee + \$50.00 Recording Fee for Special Exception (carport) Current Survey and Metes and Bounds (if the legal description of the tract is a portion of a lot) is required
Applicant	Name <u>Cynthia Zimmerman</u> Phone <u>865-724-7892</u> Address <u>2107 W. Jackson Ave. Apt. A</u> -mail <u>cynthia. zimmerman@wgm.c</u> City <u>McAllen</u> State <u>TX</u> Zip <u>78501</u>
Owner	Name World Gospel Mission Phone 956-645-7403 Address 2108 W. Jackson Ave. E-mail +mbmtreasurera City McAllen State TX Zip 78501
Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Date 4/6/2023 Print Name
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Planning Department REASON FOR APPEAL & BOARD ACTION

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Board Action	Chairman, Board of Adjustment Date Signature
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Variance request

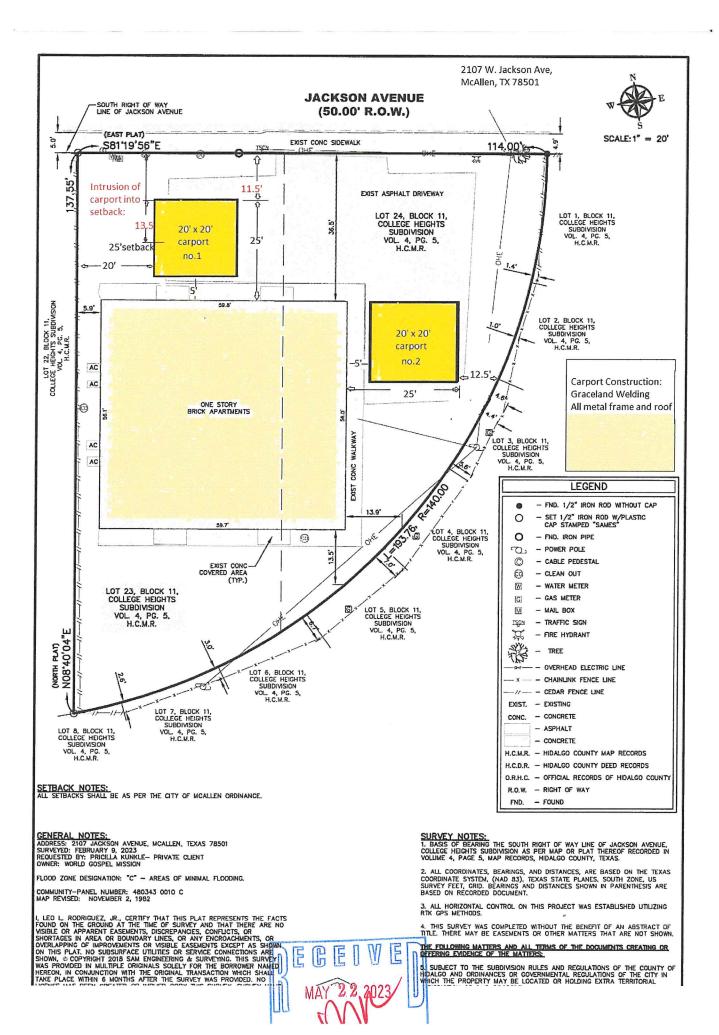
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HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PROPERTY OWNER

TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, THE UNDERSIGNED APPLICANT AGREES TO INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND SAVE HARMLESS THE CITY OF MCALLEN AND ITS COMMISSIONERS, OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, SUITS, ACTIONS, LOSSES, DAMAGES, EXPENSES, COSTS, INJURIES AND LIABILITIES OF ANY NATURE (INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS FOR BODILY INJURY, DEATH, BUSINESS INTERRUPTION AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE) RELATING TO, ARISING OUT OF OR RESULTING FROM THE GRANTING AND/OR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE VARIANCE REQUESTED HEREIN.

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TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

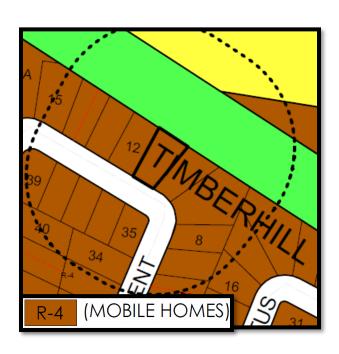
DATE: July 6, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF GEORGE CRAFT FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE CITY OF

MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 10 FEET INTO THE 10 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR A PROPOSED CARPORT MEASURING 18 FEET BY 20 FEET, AT LOT 11, TIMBERHILL VILLA SUBDIVISION UNIT 4, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS; 9401 NORTH 10TH STREET UNIT 4-11.

(ZBA2023-0054)

REASON FOR APPEAL:The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 10 feet into the 10 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport for the protection of the resident and his vehicles from the weather elements.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the north side of Karels Crescent in Timberhill Subdivision Unit No. 4. The property is zoned R-4 (mobile home and manufactured home) District. There is R-4 district in all directions except to the north, there is A-O (agricultural and open space) District.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Timberhill Villa Subdivision Unit No.4 was recorded in March 1978. The front yard setback is 10 feet as per ordinance. An application for a building permit has not been submitted. The special exception application was submitted May 25, 2023.

ANALYSIS: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 10 feet into the 10 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport to provide protection for a person with disabilities (as per application) and his vehicles from the weather elements.

During a site visit, staff noticed that there were several other carports within Timberhill Villa Subdivision Unit 4. A review of Building Inspections Department did not reveal building permits for the structures. A review of Planning Department records revealed one variance request granted on October 9, 1998 for a carport to be built to the property line at Lot 1 of this same subdivision.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the request since there has been a similar request approved along this same block.

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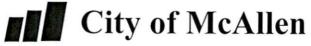
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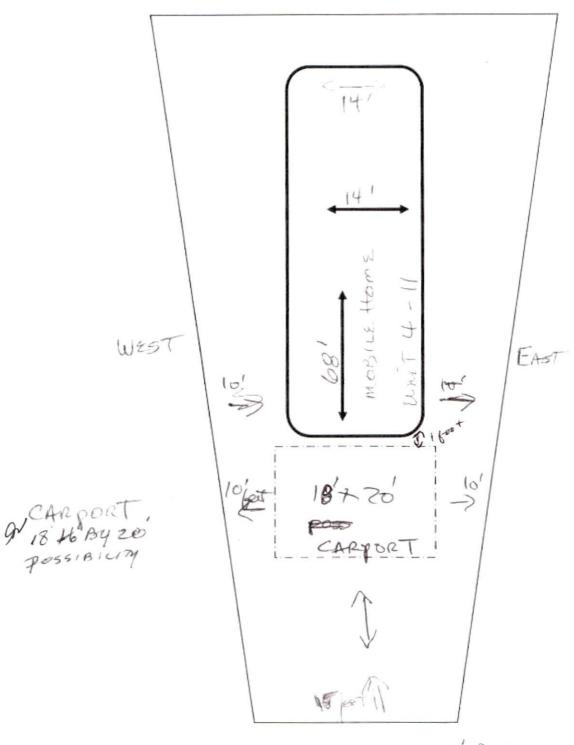
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	 Current Survey and Metes and Bounds (if the legal description of the tract is a portion of a lot) is required
Applicant	Name GEORGE CRAFTS Phone 956) 624-7248 Address 9401 N. 10 M ST 4-11 E-mail georges 1946 Ryahov. City McALLEN State T Zip 78504 Cen
Owner	Name
Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Dunge Scange Scange Date May 25 2023 Print Name Gronge Scange Scange Downer Authorized Agent
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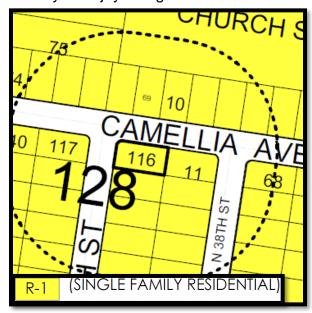
DATE: July 7, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF ANA G. HINOJOSA DE SOTO FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE

CITY OF MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 2.5 FEET INTO THE 10 FEET REAR YARD SETBACK FOR AN EXISTING METAL CARPORT MEASURING 18 FEET BY 16 FEET AT LOT 116, ARROWHEAD SUBDIVISION PHASE 2, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS; 2820 NORTH 39TH STREET.

(ZBA2023-0055)

REASON FOR APPEAL:The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 2.5 feet into the 10 feet rear yard setback for an existing carport. According to the applicant the carport was built for the family to enjoy being outside.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located at the southeast corner of Camellia Avenue and North 39th street. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. There is R-1 district in all directions.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Arrowhead Subdivision Phase II was recorded in March 5, 1999. The plat shows a 10 feet rear yard setback. A stop work order was posted March 18, 2023 for a "carport" built without a permit. An application for a building permit was submitted March 23, 2023.

The special exception application was submitted May 25, 2023.

ANALYSIS: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 2.5 feet into the 10 feet rear yard setback for an existing carport. The "carport" also serves to provide shade for the family to be able to sit outside. The structure is built over a concrete foundation and a right of way permit may be required in order to construct a driveway to be able to consider the structure as a fully functioning carport.

The carport according to the site plan submitted does not encroach into a five feet utility easement that runs concurrently with the rear yard setback adjacent to the rear property line.

The property does not have a garage.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeals meeting of April 19, 2023 the Board approved a special exception to allow an encroachment of 13.5 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing carport at Lot 78.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeals meeting of November 14, 2022 the Board approved a special exception to allow an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing carport at Lot 122.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the request since there is a history of other approved carports in this subdivision.

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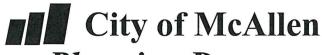
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	 Describe the special circumstance or condition affecting the land involved such that the strict application of the provisions required would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land:
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<u></u>	the subdivision plat only shows a five foot utility easement drawn,
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SUBDIVISION PLAT OF ARROWHEAD SUBDIVISION PHASE II

AN 11.77 ACRE TRACT OF LAND OUT OF LOT 128, LA LOMITA IRRIGATION AND CONSTRUCTION COMPANY'S SUBDIVISION AS RECORDED IN VOLUME 24, PAGE 68 OF THE DEED RECORDS OF HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.

METES AND BOUNDS

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DETAIL 'A'

SCALE: 1"=100"

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- 8. A 4.00 MOE SIDEWALK IS REQUIRED ALONG BOTH SIDES OF WHITEWING AVENUE AND N. 40th STREET.
- 10. NO CURB CUTS OR LOT FRONTACE SHALL BE ALLOWED ON N. 41th STREET.
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Planning Department

Memo

TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

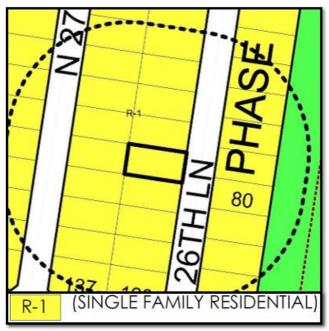
DATE: June 30, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF MANUEL VILLEGAS FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL EXCEPTION

TO THE CITY OF MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 15 FEET INTO THE 20 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR AN EXISTING METAL CARPORT MEASURING 16.83 FEET BY 18.83 FEET AT LOT 156, DEL SOL PHASE 2 SUBDIVISION, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS; 4319 NORTH

26TH LANE. (ZBA2023-0058)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport. The applicant stated the existing carport is for protection of his vehicles and himself from the inclement weather.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the west side of North 26th Lane, approximately 206.25 feet north of Quamasia Avenue. The Lot has 50 feet of frontage along North 26th Lane and a depth of 96 feet for a Lot size of 4,800 square feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. Adjacent zoning is R-1 District in all directions. The surrounding land use is single family residential.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Del Sol Phase 2 Subdivision was recorded on January 10, 2001. The required front yard setback as per plat is 20 feet. A stop work order was issued for non-compliance on

December 15, 2022 for a front yard carport built without a permit. An application for a building permit for a carport was submitted on December 20, 2022. An application for a special exception request was submitted on June 05, 2023.

ANALYSIS: This special exception if granted, would allow an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport that would measure 16.83 feet by 18.83 feet. The carport would provide protection for his vehicles and himself from the inclement weather.

According to the submitted survey and subdivision plat, a 5 feet utility easement runs concurrently with the 20 feet front yard setback and adjacent to the front property line. The existing metal carport also encroaches one foot into the 5 feet utility easement. The applicant has stated he will modify the carport in order to eliminate the encroachment over the 5 feet utility easement.

During a site visit, staff noticed other similar encroachments (carports) within Del Sol Phase 2 Subdivision.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of December 7, 2022, the Board unanimously voted to approve a special exception request along this same street for an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport on Lot 152, Del Sol Phase 2.

There is an existing garage that is used to store two of his vehicles.

Special exceptions are issued and recorded for the property owner only. New owners of the subject property will have to apply for a new special exception.

Staff did not receive any phone calls, emails or letters in opposition to this special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the special exception request since previously a similar request was approved in the same block and the applicant proposes to reduce the encroachment by cutting his carport back 1 foot in order to resolve the encroachment over the front yard utility easement.

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Planning Department APPEAL TO ZONING BOARD OF

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	ADJUSTMENT TO MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE
	Legal Description Del Sol P#7 Let 156
Project	Subdivision Name Street Address A 3 1 9
Applicant	Name Manuel VMegas Phone (956)821-2857 Address 4319 N 24th hn E-mail City McAllen State +x Zip 785b4
Owner	Name Same Address E-mail City State Zip
Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Date Owner Authorized Agent
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Planning Department REASON FOR APPEAL & BOARD ACTION

Reason for Appeal	*A variance will not be granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor shall it be based solely on economic gain or loss. In order to make a finding of hardship and grant the variance, the Zoning Board of Adjustment will consider any combination of the following: (Please use an additional page if necessary to complete responses) **Information provided here by the applicant does not guarantee that the Board will grant a variance. ***Applicant should include all information they determine is relevant, but it is not required to provide responses to all sections listed below. 1. Describe the special circumstance or condition affecting the land involved such that the strict application of the provisions required would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land: ***No Chrundud** 2. Describe how the variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of the legal property rights of the owner: ***Car profection from wealth for the legal property rights of the owner: ***Out of the property owners enjoy in the area: ***How wealth for the legal property welfare or injurious to the legal rights other property owners enjoy in the area: ***How we have the property owners enjoy in the area: ***Applicant or property: ***Applicant of the Post of the Indiana Property: ***Applicant of the Indiana Prop
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OF LOT 156. DEL SOL PHASE II SUBDIVISION.

HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS, DESCRIBED





Planning Department

Memo

TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

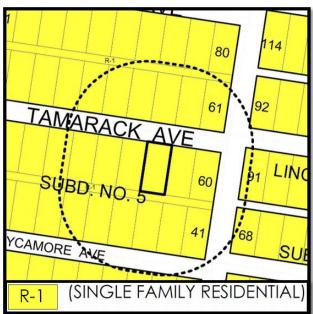
DATE: June 29, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF ROBERTO AND REBECCA VELA FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL

EXCEPTION TO THE CITY OF MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 20 FEET INTO THE 25 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR A PROPOSED CARPORT MEASURING 26 FEET BY 20 FEET AT LOT 58, OLIVAREZ NO. 5 SUBDIVISION, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS: 2909 TAMARACK AVENUE.

(ZBA2023-0059)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 20 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback. The applicants have stated that this carport would protect their vehicles and them from inclement weather as the residence does not have a garage. The carport addition would also protect the applicant during loading/unloading and use of mobility aids.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the south side of Tamarack Avenue, approximately 123 feet west of North 29th Street. The Lot has 61.4 feet of frontage along Tamarack Avenue and a depth of 124.5 feet for a Lot size of 7,644.30 square feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. Adjacent zoning is R-1 District in all directions. The surrounding land use is single family residential.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Olivarez No. 5 Subdivision was recorded on February 01, 1972. The required front yard setback as per plat is 25 feet. An application for a special exception request was submitted to the Planning Department on June 05, 2023. An application for a building permit was submitted to Building Permits and Inspections Department on June 22, 2023 for a carport.

ANALYSIS: This special exception if granted, would allow an encroachment of 20 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport that would measure 20 feet by 20 feet. The carport would provide protection from the weather elements and an area for loading of a scooter/wheelchair for one of the applicants.

During a site visit, staff noticed other similar encroachments (carports) within Olivarez Subdivision No. 5.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of June 17, 2021, the Board unanimously voted to approve a special exception request for an encroachment of 20.83 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback for an existing carport on Lot 87, Olivarez Subdivision No. 5.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of August 04, 2021, the Board unanimously voted to approve a special exception request for 1) an encroachment of 19.1 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback and 2) an encroachment of up to 4.33 feet into the 5 feet side yard setback for an existing carport on Lot 83, Olivarez Subdivision No. 5.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of August 03, 2022, the Board unanimously voted to approve a special exception request for an encroachment of 22 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback and an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet west side yard setback for a proposed carport on Lot 64, Olivarez Subdivision No. 5.

There is an existing paved alley at the rear of property. However, due to the existing layout of the home, there wouldn't be sufficient space on the rear yard for the relocation for the proposed carport.

Measurements provided are without the benefit of a survey.

Special exceptions are issued and recorded for the property owner only. New owners of the subject property will have to apply for a new special exception.

Staff did not receive any phone calls, emails or letters in opposition to this special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the special exception request since there have been special exceptions previously approved in the subdivision. Approval should be limited to the encroachment shown on the submitted site plan.

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Planning DepartmentAPPEAL TO ZONING BOARD OF

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ADJUSTMENT	TO	MCALLEN	ZONING	ORDINANCE
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	ADJUSTMENT TO MICALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE
	Legal Description Oluvarez No. 5 Lot 58
Project	Subdivision Name Street Address 2909 TAMANACK AVE
Applicant	Name Roberto, Rebecco Vela Phone 956.358-5049 956 630-2279 Address 2909 TAMANACK ANE E-mail Nebecca Vela Chotmail. Com City Meallow State TX Zip 78501
Owner	Name Roberto, Rebecca VELA Phone 956-358-5049 956-630-3259 Address 2909 TAMAYACK AVE E-mail rebecca vela Chot mail-com City M'Allew TX State TX Zip 78501
Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Roberto VIIa Roberta VIIIa Date 6-6-2023 Print Name Roberto VIIIa Roberta VIIII Owner Authorized Agent
Office	Accepted by Payment received by Date ENTERED Rev 09/20 Payment received by Date ENTERED JUN 0 5 2023

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Reason for Appeal	economic gain or loss. In order to make a finding of hardship and grant the variance, the Zoning Board of Adjustment will consider any combination of the following: (Please use an additional page if necessary to complete responses) **Information provided here by the applicant does not guarantee that the Board will grant a variance, the provider sponses to all sections listed below. 1. Describe the special circumstance or condition affecting the land involved such that the strict application of the provisions required would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land: **NO GARAGE - We weed to protect our lars from variation of the provisions required would deprive the applicant of the reasonable use of the land: **NO GARAGE - We weed to protect our lars from variation of the owner: **Involve is no garage there are larger to the property.** 2. Describe how the variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of the legal property rights of the owner: **Involve is no garage there are larger to the next best thins.** **To protect our property larger for aux selves etc.** 3. Describe how the variance will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare or injurious to the legal rights other property owners enjoy in the area: **ADES NOT Interfere with weighbors or ourselves** **ADES NOT Interfere with weighbors or ourselves** **ADES NOT Interfere with weighbors or ourselves** **ADES NOT Interfered with a reunique to this applicant or property: **Roberto Vela is disable unable to walk steady weeds** **Scoter** Wheelshair** to move around.**
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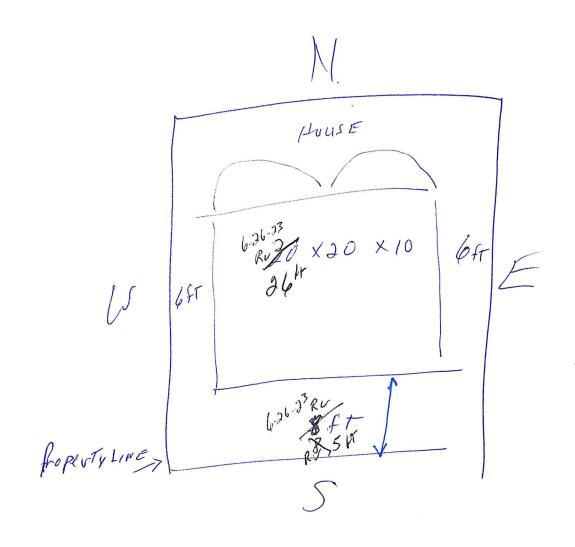
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HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PROPERTY OWNER

TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, THE UNDERSIGNED APPLICANT AGREES TO INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND SAVE HARMLESS THE CITY OF MCALLEN AND ITS COMMISSIONERS, OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, SUITS, ACTIONS, LOSSES, DAMAGES, EXPENSES, COSTS, INJURIES AND LIABILITIES OF ANY NATURE (INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS FOR BODILY INJURY, DEATH, BUSINESS INTERRUPTION AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE) RELATING TO, ARISING OUT OF OR RESULTING FROM THE GRANTING AND/OR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE VARIANCE REQUESTED HEREIN.

Applicant'	s Signature Roberto Vela Rebecca Vela	
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TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

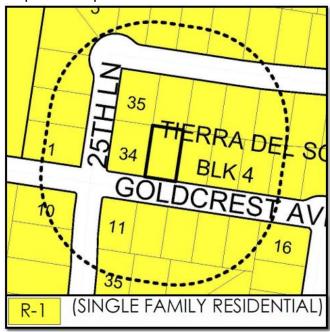
DATE: June 30, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF ROOSEVELT ALVARADO FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL

EXCEPTION TO THE CITY OF MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW: 1) AN ENCROACHMENT OF 11 FEET INTO THE 20 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR A PROPOSED CARPORT MEASURING 19 FEET BY 20 FEET AND 2) AND ENCROACHMENT OF 6 FEET INTO THE 6 FEET SIDE YARD SETBACK FOR A PROPOSED CARPORT MEASURING 19 FEET BY 20 FEET ON LOT 33, BLOCK 4, TIERRA DEL SOL UNIT NO. 1 SUBDIVISION, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS: 2524

GOLDCREST AVENUE. (ZBA2023-0060)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 11 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback and 6 feet into the 6 feet east side yard setback. The applicant stated the proposed carport is for protection of his vehicles and his family (health concerns) from the weather elements.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the north side of Goldcrest Avenue, approximately 70 feet east of North 25th Lane. The Lot has 60 feet of frontage along Goldcrest Avenue and a depth of 100 feet for a Lot size of 6,000 square feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. Adjacent zoning is R-1 District in all directions. The surrounding land use is single family residential.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Tierra Del Sol Unit No. 1 Subdivision was recorded on August 12, 1977. The required front yard setback as per plat is 20 feet. The property previously had a garage but it was enclosed in 2018. An application for a special exception request was submitted to the Planning Department on June 07, 2023.

ANALYSIS: This special exception would allow an encroachment of 11 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport that would measure 19 feet by 20 feet. The carport would provide protection of his vehicles and his family (health concerns) from the weather elements.

During a site visit, staff noticed other similar encroachments (carports) within Tierra Del Sol Subdivision Unit No. 1.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of August 20, 2010, the Board unanimously voted to approve a variance request for an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing carport on Lot 22, Block 3, Tierra Del Sol Subdivision Unit No.1.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of October 17, 2018, the Board unanimously voted to approve a special exception request for an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing carport on Lot 46, Block 1, Tierra Del Sol Subdivision Unit No.1.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of March 20, 2019, the Board unanimously voted to approve a special exception request for an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport on Lot 33, Block 1, Tierra Del Sol Subdivision Unit. No.1.

Measurements provided are without the benefit of a survey.

Special exceptions are issued and recorded for the property owner only. New owners of the subject property will have to apply for a new special exception.

Staff did not receive any phone calls, emails or letters in opposition to this special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Special Exception #1: Staff recommends approval of the special exception request for the encroachment into the front yard setback since there have been special exceptions previously approved in the subdivision.

Special Exception #2: Staff recommends disapproval of the special exception request for encroachment into the side yard setback as it would go up to the side property line which would raise concerns of potential runoff to the adjacent property owner. However, if the Board approves the request it should be limited to the encroachment shown in the submitted site plan.

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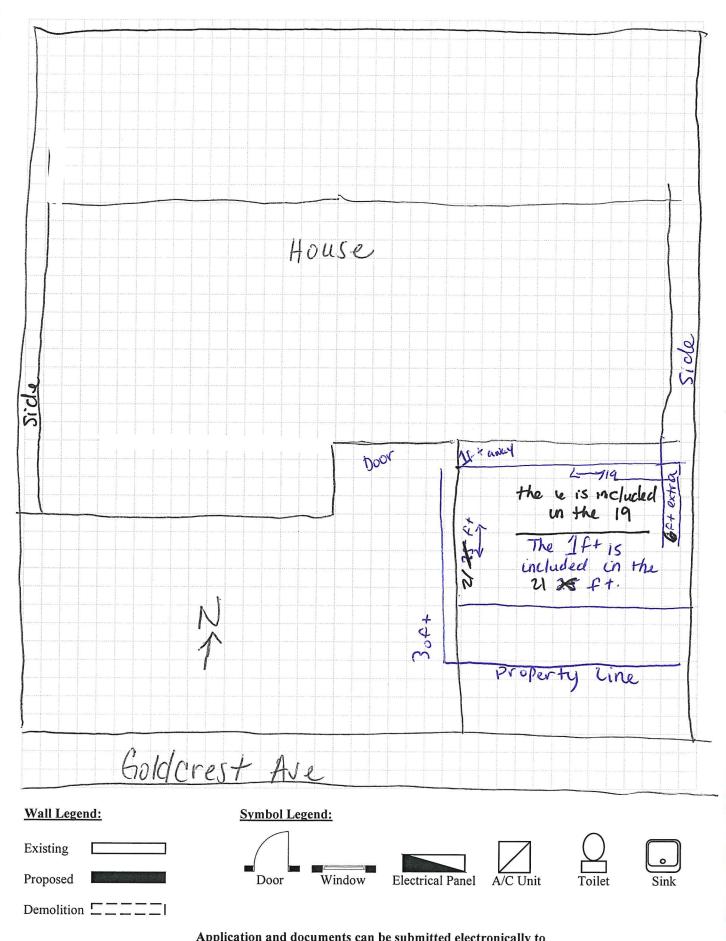
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Applicant	Name Roosevelt Alvarado Phone 956 2/2 1685 Address 2524 Goldciest Ave E-mail tonya /varado 696 hotmailien City McAllen State TX Zip 78504
ner	NamePhone
Owner	Address E-mail City State Zip
Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes
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Planning Department REASON FOR APPEAL & BOARD ACTION

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Memo

TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

DATE: June 26, 2023

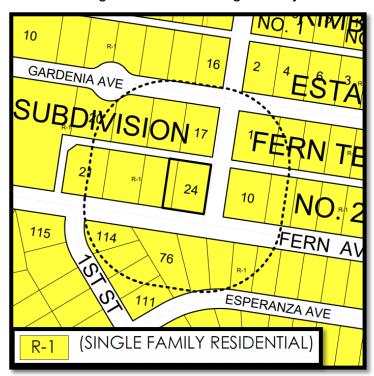
SUBJECT: Request of Rodolfo Rios for the following variance to the City of McAllen Zoning

Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for an existing metal porch at Lot 24 and E20' Lot 23, Fern Terrace, Hidalgo County, Texas;

100 Fern Avenue. (ZBA2023-0050)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a variance to encroach 6 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for an existing metal porch. The applicant states the metal porch is used for shade from harsh summer heat and rain.

PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located north of Fern Avenue and east of North 2nd Street. The property has 85 ft. of frontage along Fern Avenue and a depth of 127 ft. The subject property is zoned R-1 (single-family) District. Adaject properties are zoned R-1 District. Surrounding land uses are single family residences.





BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Fern Terrace was recorded in January 1973. A Stop Work order was issued by the Building Permits and Inspections Department on May 2, 2023 for construction without a building permit. A building permit was submitted May 4, 2023. A variance request was made on May 22, 2023.

ANALYSIS: This request is to allow an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for an existing metal porch measuring 22 feet by 64 feet. As per the subdivision plat, there are no easements along the west side of the property.

The applicant stated the metal roof was constructed over the existing concrete slab in 2020. The applicant also stated they were unaware of the 6 feet side yard setback. The request was made due to harsh weather conditions. The applicant is requesting to keep the porch as they stated it would also protect the concrete slab from rain.

A review of the Planning Department records did not reveal any requested variances in the area.

Staff has not received any phone calls, email or lettrs in opposition to this request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends disapproval of the variance request as records did not find any approved variances in the area.

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City of McAllen Planning Department REASON FOR APPEAL & BOARD ACTION

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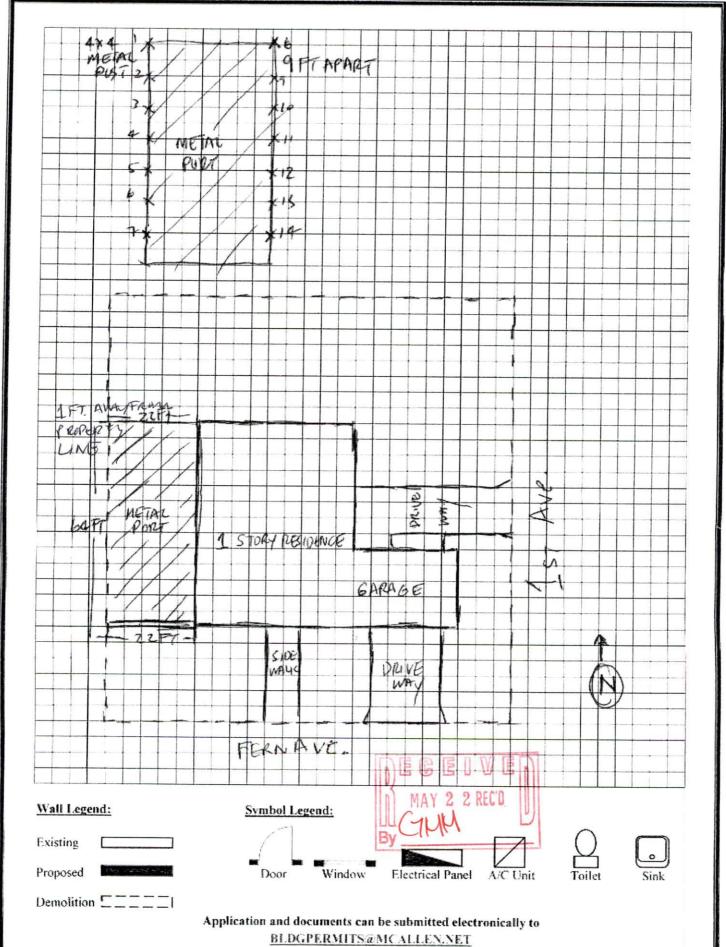
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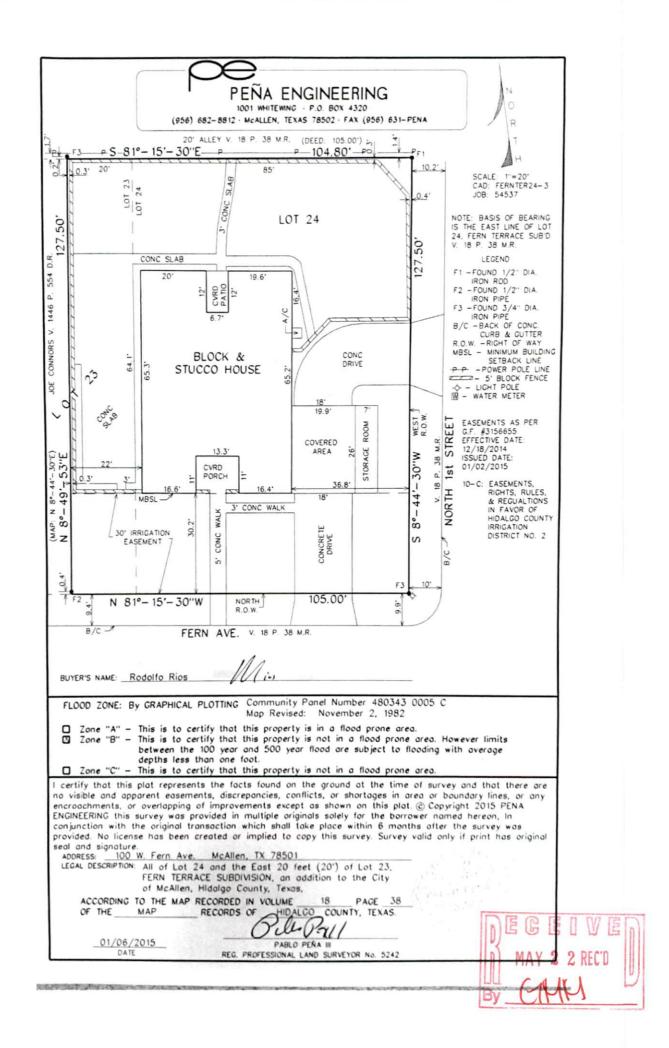
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Planning Department

Memo

TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

DATE: June 27, 2023

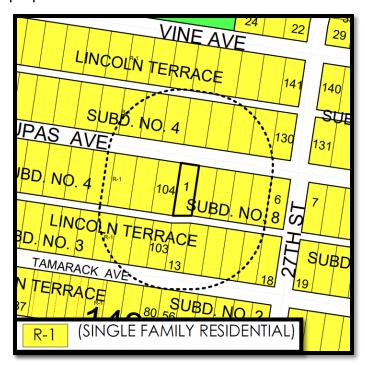
SUBJECT: Request of Donaciano Gomez for the following Special Exception to the City of McAllen

Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 23 feet into the 25 front yard setback and an encroachment of 5 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for a metal carport measuring 20 feet by 20 feet, at Lot 1, Lincoln Terrace No. 8, Hidalgo County, Texas:

2721 Upas Avenue. (ZBA2023-0051)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 23 feet into the 25 front yard setback and 5 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback for a metal carport measuring 20 by 20 feet. The applicant stated they have multiple vehicles and protect vehicles from weather conditions.

PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located south of Upas Avenue and west of North 27th Street. The subject property is zoned R-1 (single-family) District. The adajecent properties are zoned R-1 District as well. Surrounding land uses include single-family dwellings.





BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: The plat for Lincoln Terrace No. 8 Subdivision was recorded on October 16, 1998. The plat states a 25 feet front yard setback and 6 feet side yard setback, with a 5 feet utility easement. A citation was issued May 22, 2023. An application for a building permit for a carport was submitted on May 22, 20234. An application for the special exception request was submitted on May 23, 2023.

ANALYSIS: Approval of the special exception request would allow an encroachment of 23 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback and 5 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback. The applicant stated a carport in the backyard is not feasible as there is no room to construct a carport. The residency consists of a one car garage, the applicants have three vehicles. The request was submitted due to weather conditions such as the recent hail storm, which the applicant stated.

The west side of the property does have a 5 feet utility easement according to the plat. The 5 feet into the 6 feet side yard setback does encroach into the 5 feet utility easement.

Planning Department records reveals one approved special exceptions within the subdivision.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends disapproval of the variance request due to the encroachment into the 5 feet utility easement.

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	Number of lots Gross acres Existing Zoning Residential Existing Land Use Residential Reason for Appeal (please use other side if necessary)
Applicant	Name Donaciano Gomez Phone (956) 328-2440 Address 27214Pas ave E-mail chanogomez 678 yahao.com City Mr 41/en State TX Zip 7850/
Owner	Name
Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Date Date Authorized Agent
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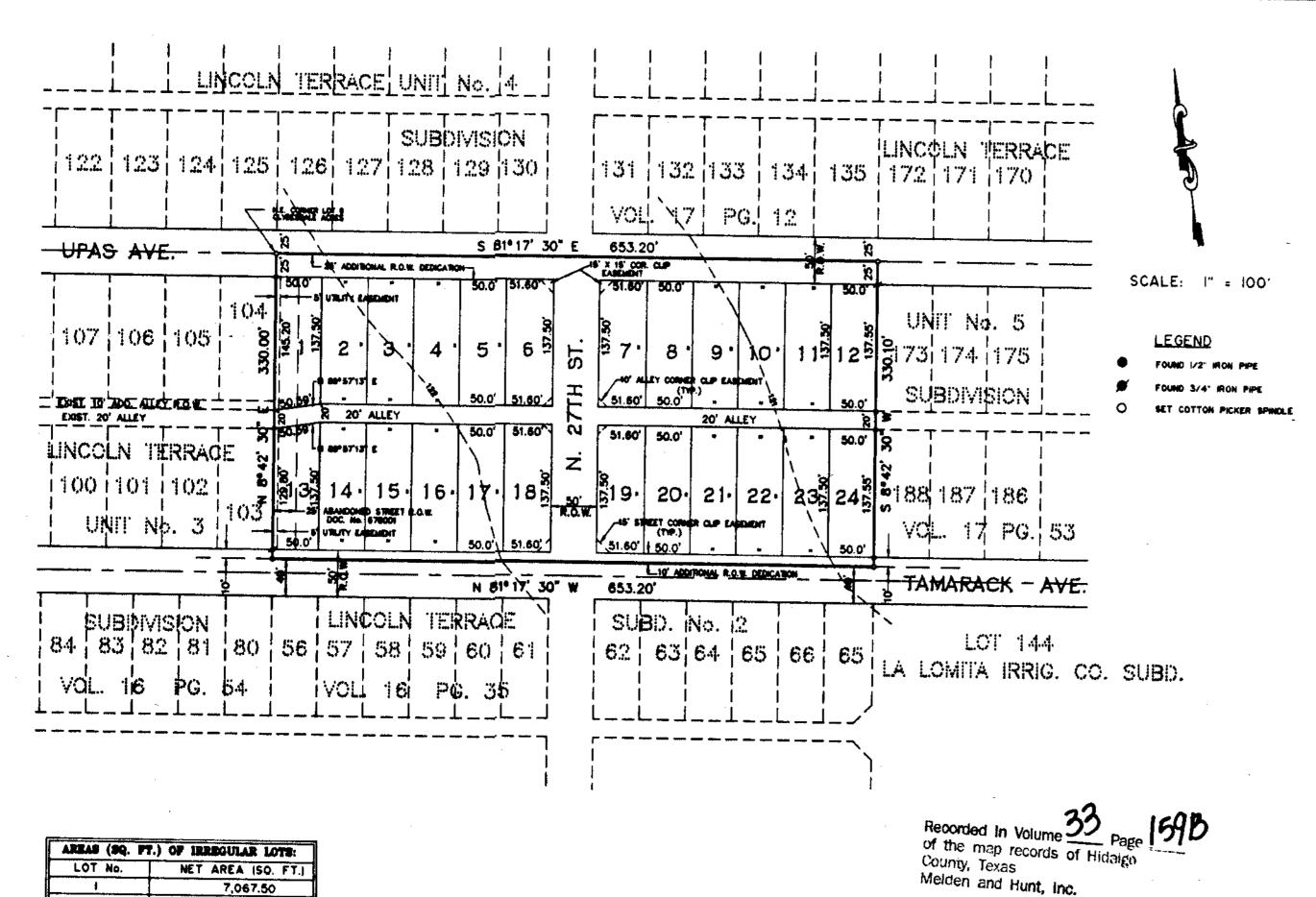
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Variance request

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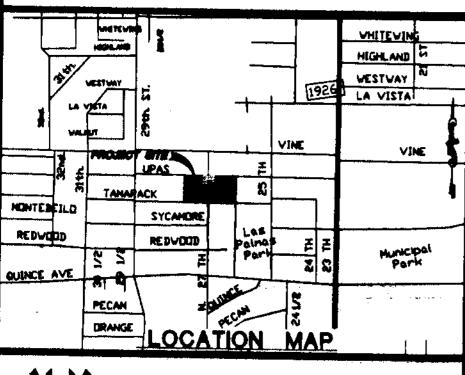
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GENERAL PROFESSIONAL CIVIL ENGINEERING SERVICES Kambiz Khadomi, P.Z. Principal

(622) N. McCOLL RD.) P.O. BOX 3422

McALLEN, TEXAS 78002

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METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIPTION

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(APPROVED AS MCALLEN AFFORDABLE HOMES AT 27TH & TAMARACK SUBDIVISION)

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PREPARED BY: K K ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS DATE: DEC. 18, 1997

OWNER: MCALLEN AFFORDABLE HOMES INC.

600 S. NTH ST.

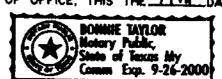
ALONZO CANTU, PRESIDENT MCALLEN, TEXAS 78501

I (WE), THE UNDERSIGNED, OWNER (S) OF THE LAND SHOWN ON THIS PLAT AND DESIGNATED HEREIN AS THE LINGULA TENRACE NO. 8 SURE. TO THE CITY ON MCALLEN, TEXAS, AND WHOSE NAME (S) IS (ARE) SUBSCRIBED HERETO, HEREBY DEDICATE TO THE USE OF THE PUBLIC ALL STREETS, ALLEYS, PARKS, SEWER LINES, WATER COURSES, STORM SEWERS, FIRE HYDRANTS AND PUBLIC PLACES WHICH ARE INSTALLED OR WHICH I (WE) WILL CAUSE TO BE INSTALLED THEREON SHOWN OR NOT SHOWN IF REQUIRED OTHERWISE TO BE INSTALLED OR DEDICATED UNDER THE SUBDIVISION APPROVAL PROCESS OF THE CITY OF MCALLEN ALL THE SAME FOR THE PURPOSES THEREIN EXPRESSED, EITHER ON THE PLAT HEREOF OR ON THE OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE APPLICABLE AUTHORITIES OF THE CITY OF MCALLEN.

> OWNER: MCALLEN AFFORDABLE HOMES INC. ALONZO/ CANTU, PRESIDENT

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HIDALGO BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED ALONZO CANTUKNOWN TO ME TO BE THE PERSON (S) WHOSE NAME (S) IS (ARE) SUBSCRIBED TO THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT. AND ACKNOWLEDGED TO ME THAT HE (THEY) EXECUTED THE SAME FOR THE PURPOSES AND CONSIDERATIONS THEREIN EXPRESSED AND IN THE CAPACITY THEREIN STATED.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, THIS THE 14th DAY OF Scatembee 19 98



NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 9-26-4000

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MCALLEN HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS SUBDIVISION PLAT CONFORMS TO ALL REQUIREMENTS OF THE SUBDIVISION REQUIATIONS OF THE CITY WHEREIN MY APPROVAL IS REQUIRED.

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STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HIDALGO THIS SUBDIVISION PLAT OF LINCOLN TENNACE NA. 8
HAS BEEN SUBMITTED TO AND CONSIDERED BY THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF
MCALLEN, TEXAS AND IS HEREBY APPROVED BY SUCH COMMISSION.

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CHARMAN

HIDALGO COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT No. I HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT THE DRAINAGE PLANS FOR THIS SUBDIVISION COMPLY WITH THE MINIMUM STANDARDS OF THE DISTRICT ADOPTED UNDER TEX. WATER CODE \$49,24(C). THE DISTRICT HAS NOT REVIEWED AND DOES NOT CERTIFY THAT THE DRAINAGE STRUCTURES DESCRIBED ARE APPROPRIATE FOR THE SPECIFIC SUBDIVISION, BASED ON GENERALLY ACCEPTED ENGINEERING CRITERIA, IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE DEVELOPER OF THE SUBDIVISION AND ITS ENGINEER TO MAKE THESE DETERMINATIONS.

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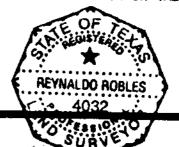
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STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HIDALGO

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, A REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR No. 4032 IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PLAT IS TRUE AND CORRECTLY MADE AND IS PREPARED FROM AN ACTUAL SURVEY OF THE PROPERTY MADE UNDER MY SUPERVISION ON THE GROUND.



REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR No. 4032

P.O. BOX 476 WESLACO, TEXAS 78599



Planning Department

Memo

TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

DATE: June 29, 2023

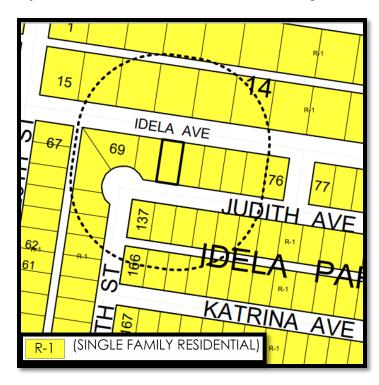
SUBJECT: Request of Wilfredo Charles for the following Special Exception to the City of McAllen

Zoning Ordinance to allow an encroachment of 21 feet into the 25 front yard setback for an existing metal carport measuring 18 feet by 18 feet, at Lot 71, Idela Park UT No. 1,

Hidalgo County, Texas; 2752 Judith Avenue. (ZBA2023-0052)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 21 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport measuring 18 feet by 18 feet. The applicant stated the carport is to protect their vehicles.

PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located south of Idela Avenue and east of South 29th Street. The property has 50 feet of fronting Judith Avenue and a depth of 100 feet., with a lot size of 5,000 square feet. The subject property is zoned R-1 (single-family) District. The adjacent is zoned R-1 District. Surrounding land uses include single-family dwellings.





BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: The plat for Idea Park Subdivision was recorded on Feburary 13, 1978. The plat indicates a 25 feet front yard setback line. A stop work order was issued on January 27, 2023. A building permit for a carport was submitted Feburary 3, 2023. An application requesting the special exception was submitted on May 24, 2023.

ANALYSIS: Approval of the special exception request would allow an encroachment of 21 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback. The applicant is requesting to maintain the carport as their home does not have a garage. The carport allows them to protect their vehicles from hial, sun, dirt, etc. Subdivisons recorded prior to 1999 did not require single-family dwellings to have a garage.

A review of the Planning Department records reveal seven approved special exceptions within the subdivision.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to this request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends disapproval of the variance request as a stop work order was placed due to construction of a carport without a permit.

City of McAllen

Planning Department APPEAL TO ZONING BOARD OF

311 North 15th Street McAllen, TX 78501 P. O. Box 220 McAllen, TX 78505-0220 (956) 681-1250 (956) 681-1279 (fax)

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ı		Name wilfredo charles Phone 956-624-6350
Applicant		Address 2752 Judith Ave E-mail Wiltrelo Charle, 57- 9. mail
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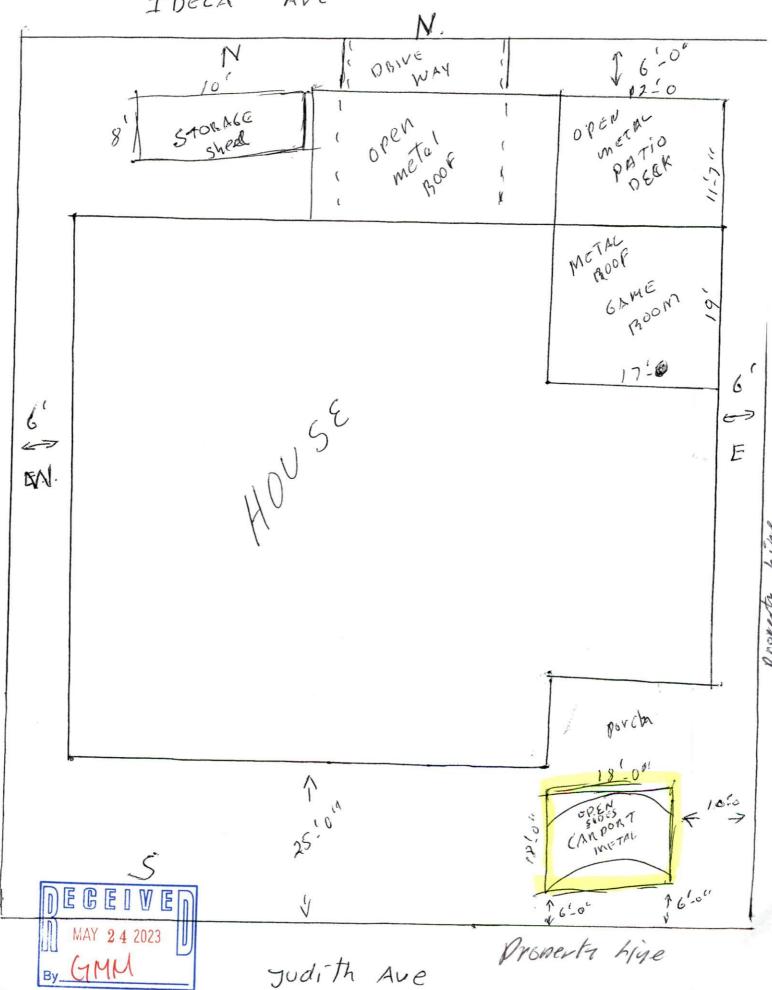


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TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

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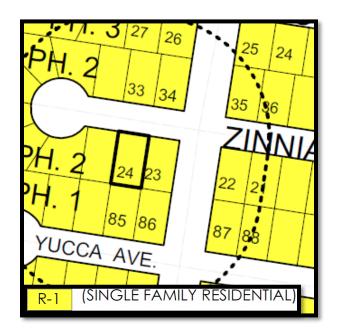
DATE: July 7, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF GILMA CUELLAR FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE CITY OF

MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 6 FEET INTO THE 6 FEET SIDE YARD SETBACK FOR AN EXISTING CARPORT MEASURING 10 FEET BY 47 FEET AT LOT 24, BROOKWOOD SUBDIVISION, UNIT

2, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS; 4105 ZINNIA AVENUE. (ZBA2023-0056)

REASON FOR APPEAL:The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 6 feet into the 6 feet east side yard setback for an existing metal carport constructed to provide protection for the applicant from inclement weather. The applicant uses mobility aids and the carport provides protection while accessing the home or the car.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the south side of Zinnia Avenue just west of North 41st Street. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. There is R-1 district in all directions.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Brookwood Subdivision Unit 2 was recorded in December 1998. The plat shows a 6 feet side yard setback. A stop work order was posted June 3, 2022 for carport built without a permit. An application for a building permit was submitted June 27, 2022.

The special exception application was submitted May 26, 2023.

ANALYSIS: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet east side yard setback for an existing carport that was built for the protection of the applicant due to medical reasons. The applicant states she gains access to the home or the car with the use of mobility aids.

The carport is attached to the main residential structure and runs the length of the house along the east side of the property.

The carport cannot be relocated to the rear of the property since there is no alley.

The side yard setback is 6 feet for the common side property line. A 6 feet wooden fence helps to screen the carport from the neighboring property.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of December 21, 2022 the Board approved a request for an encroachment of 16 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing carport at Lot 5.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

A review of aerial pictures shows two other accessory structures that appear to encroach into the rear and side yard setback as well as a 10 feet utility easement that runs concurrently adjacent to the rear property line. The applicant has decided not to include these potential encroachments as part of the request.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends disapproval of the request since the required building separation (based on required side yard setbacks) is not compliant.

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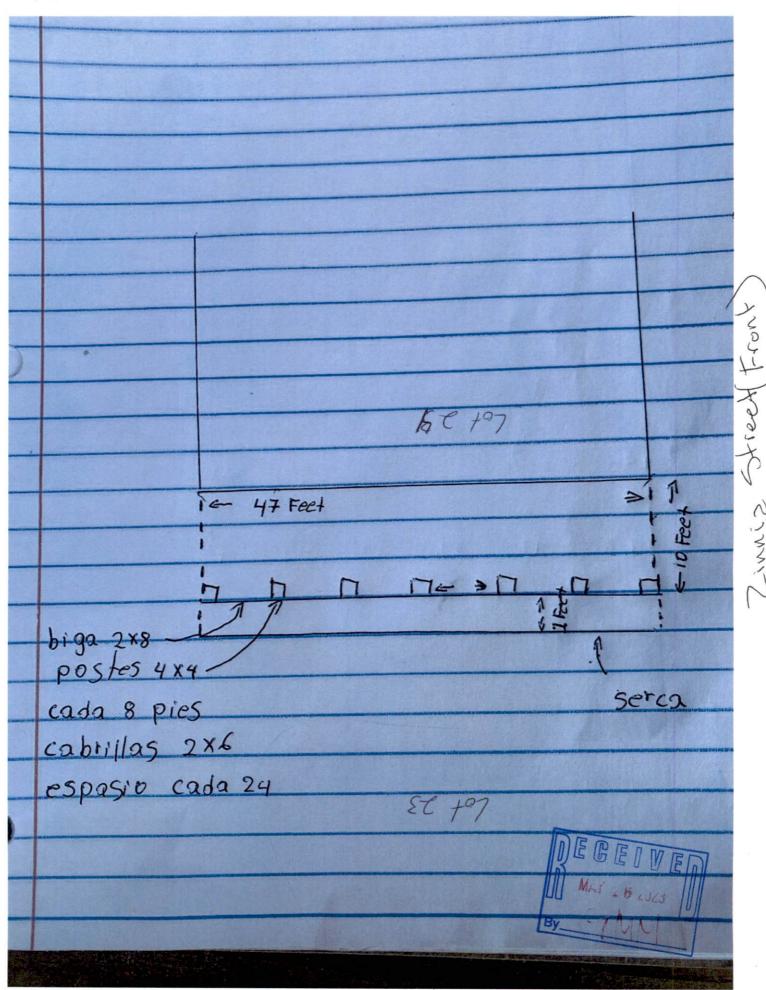
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	ADJUSTMENT TO MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE
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₫.	Reason for Appeal (please use other side if necessary) 6ft into the 6ft side yard set back (Car Port) [10 × 447 ft. (april)
	\$300.00 non-refundable filing fee + \$50.00 Recording Fee for Special Exception (carport)
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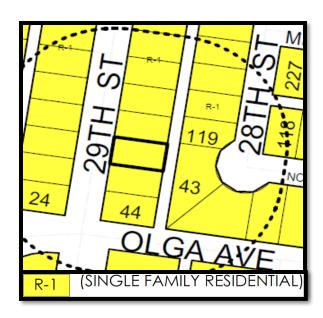
DATE: July 7, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF BALDEMAR SANCHEZ FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE CITY

OF MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 20 FEET INTO THE 25 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR A PROPOSED CARPORT MEASURING 20 FEET BY 30 FEET AT LOT 46, IDELA PARK SUBDIVISION, UNIT 1

HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS; 5101 SOUTH 29TH STREET. (ZBA2023-0057)

REASON FOR APPEAL:The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 20 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback, for a proposed metal carport to be constructed to protect his vehicles from rain, hail, and the sun, as the house does not have a garage.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the east side of South 29th Street, and north of Olga Avenue. The Lot has 50 feet of frontage along South 29th Street and a depth of 90 feet for a total square footage of 4,500. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. There is R-1 District in all directions.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Idela Park Subdivision Unit 1 was recorded on Februrary 13, 1979. The plat shows a 25 feet front yard setback. A carport previously existed a this same location for which a special exception request was processed for an encroachment of 22 feet into the 25 feet front

yard setback for a carport measuring 20 feet by 30 feet, but was disapproved by the Zoning Board of Adjustment and Appeals at the meeting of November 2, 2022. The carport was subsequently removed. A new application for a special exception request was submitted May 30, 2023 for a proposed carport measuring 20 feet by 30 feet.

ANALYSIS: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 20 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback for a proposed carport in order to protect his vehicles from the weather elements.

The front yard setback is 25 feet along South 29th Street. Front yard setbacks help to keep the character of single family residential areas by maintaining the street yard and curb appeal of properties in a subdivision. The carport could be relocated to the rear of the property and accessed through the alley to maintain curb appeal and be closer to compliance.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of January 5, 2023 the Board unanimously approved an encroachment of 16 feet into the 25 feet front yard setback for a metal carport at Lot 111.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of February 8, 2023 the Board unanimously approved an encroachment of 23 feet into the 25 feet front yard setbacks for an existing metal carport at Lot 112.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of March 8, 2023 the Board unanimously approved an encroachment of 20.42 feet into the 25 feet front yard setbacks for an existing metal carport at Lot 186.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

The City Comission has amended Section 138-371(g) of the Code of Ordinances limiting the maximum size to 400 square feet for a carport for which a special exception has been granted.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends disapproval of the request since a similar request was disapproved in 2022 at this same location and the request exceeds the maximum size permitted by ordinance for carports for which a special exception has been granted.

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Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Balbara Sancutt Owner Authorized Agent										
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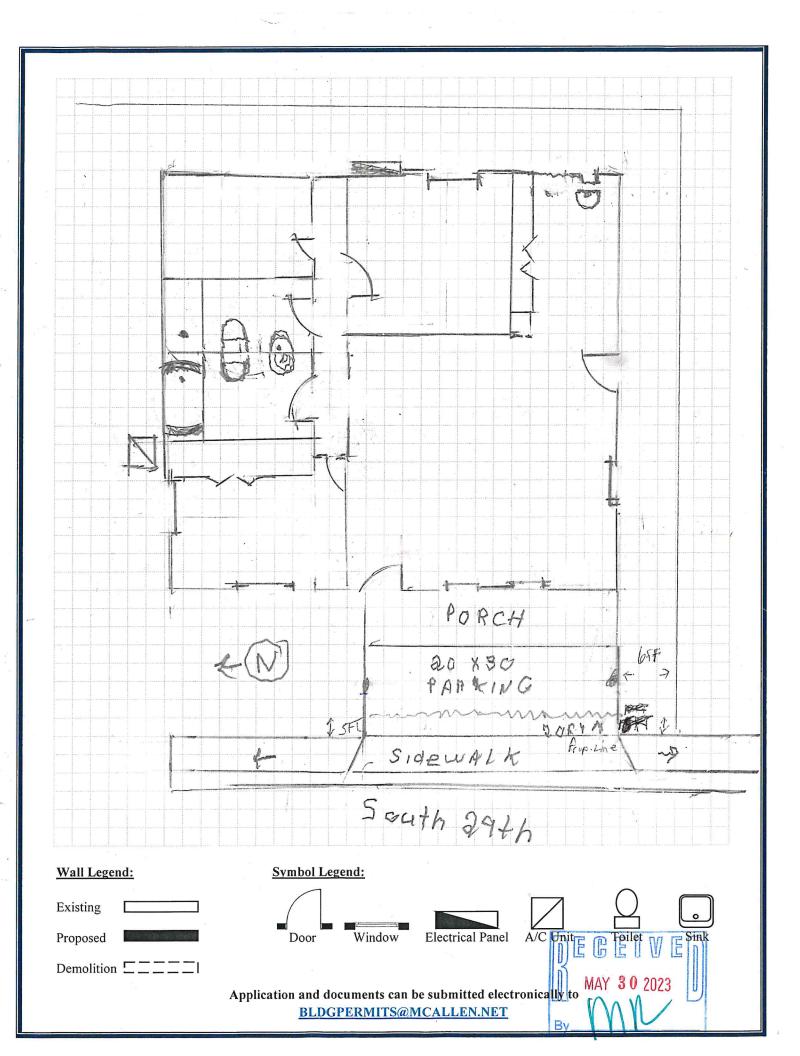
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TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

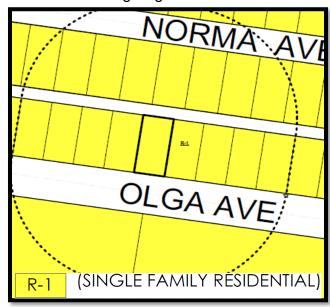
DATE: July 7, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF MARIA SALDANA FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE CITY OF

MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW: 1) AN ENCROACHMENT OF 15 FEET INTO THE 20 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR AN EXISTING METAL CARPORT WITH CANVAS COVER MEASURING 21 FEET BY 20 FEET, AND 2) AN ENCROACHMENT OF 6 FEET INTO THE 6 FEET WEST SIDE YARD SETBACK FOR AN EXISTING METAL CARPORT WITH CANVAS COVER MEASURING 21 FEET BY 20 FEET, AT LOT 11, LOS ENCINOS SUBDIVISION UNIT 2, HIDALGO COUNTY,

TEXAS: 3036 OLGA AVENUE (ZBA2023-0044)

REASON FOR APPEAL:The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback, and 6 feet into the 6 feet west side yard setback. Both requests are for an existing metal carport constructed to protect her vehicles from rain, hail, and the sun, as the house does not have a garage.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the north side of Olga Avenue, and north of Sam Houston Elementary. The Lot has 50 feet of frontage along Olga Avenue and a depth of 102.70 feet for total square feet of 5,135 feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. There is R-1 district in all directions.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2 was recorded in June 1995. The plat shows a 20 feet front yard setback and a 6 feet side yard setback. A stop work order was posted July 8, 2022 for carport built without a permit. An application for a building permit was submitted July 26, 2022. The special exception application was submitted May 9, 2023.

ANALYSIS: The applicant is requesting a special exception in order to allow an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback and an encroachment of 6 feet into the 6 feet west side yard setback for an existing carport with canvas cover in order to protect her vehicles from the weather elements.

The applicant proposes to reduce the size of the carport by 5 feet in order to clear a 5 feet utility easement that runs concurrently with the front yard setback adjacent to the front property line. The poropsed reduction will result in the carport dimensions modified to a size of 16 feet by 20 feet.

The front yard setback is 20 feet along Olga Avenue. Front yard setbacks help to keep the character of single family residential areas by maintaining the street yard and curb appeal of properties in a subdivision. The carport could be relocated to the rear of the property and accessed through the alley to maintain curb appeal and be closer in compliance.

The side yard setback is 6 feet for the common side property line. A 6 feet wooden wall separates the driveway from the neighboring property.

During a site visit, staff noticed that there were no other carports within Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

At the meeting of June 21, 2023 the Board recommended tabling the item so that the applicant can discuss other options for the carport in reference to cutting it back on the front as well as the side to clear the setback and utility easement.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends disapproval of the request since there are no other carports, nor have other special exceptions been granted for Lots within Los Encinos Subdivision Unit 2.

Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals Meeting of June 21, 2023: At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of June 21, 2023 no one appeared in opposition to the special exception request. Board member Tafel inquired as to the ability to maintain the carport without stepping into the neighbors property. Board member Saldivar also voiced the same concern. The Board unanimously voted to table the special exception request to give the applicant time to consider modifications to the existing encroachments. There were 5 members present and voting.

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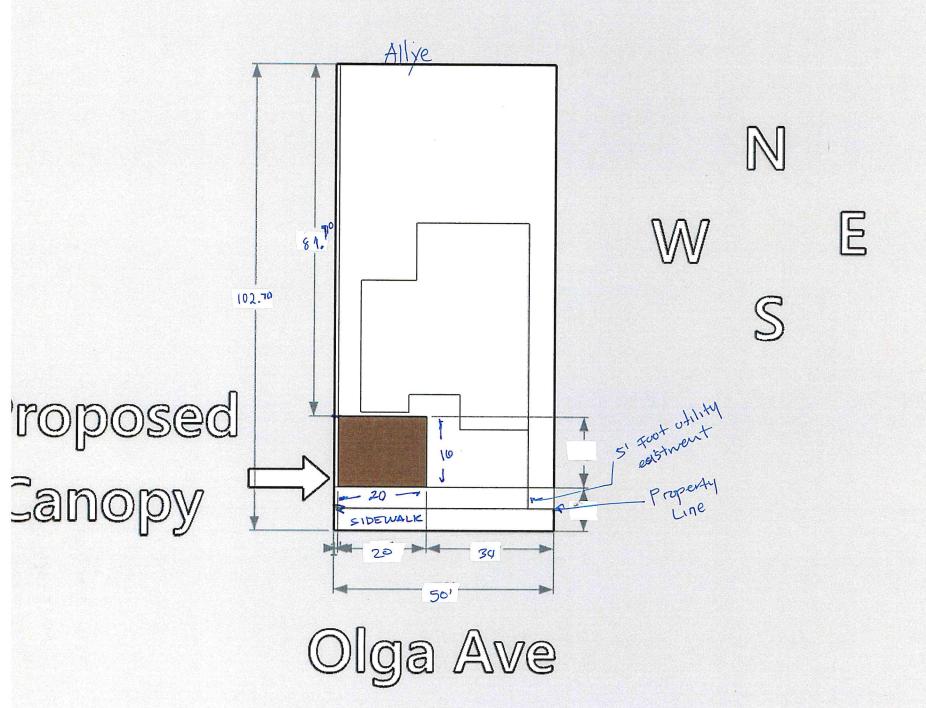
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TO: Zoning Board of Adjustment & Appeals

FROM: Planning Staff

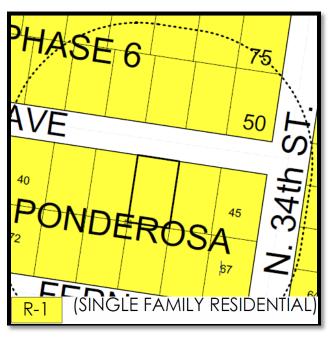
DATE: July 5, 2023

SUBJECT: REQUEST OF MARIO FERRON FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE CITY OF

MCALLEN ZONING ORDINANCE TO ALLOW AN ENCROACHMENT OF 20 FEET INTO THE 20 FEET FRONT YARD SETBACK FOR AN EXISTING METAL CARPORT WITH CANVAS COVER MEASURING 18 FEET BY 20 FEET, AT LOT 43, PONDEROSA PARK PHASE 6 SUBDIVISION, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS; 3409

GARDENIA AVENUE (ZBA2023-0045)

REASON FOR APPEAL: The applicant is requesting the special exception to encroach 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport to provide protection for an individual with health concerns.





PROPERTY LOCATION AND VICINITY: The subject property is located along the south side of Gardenia Avenue between North 34th and North 36th Streets. The Lot has 63.50 feet of frontage and a depth of 102.00 feet for a total square footage of 6,477 feet. The property is zoned R-1 (single-family residential) District. The surrounding land use is R-1 District in all directions.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY: Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision was recorded March 12, 2001. The plat states a 20 feet front yard setback. A stop work order was posted August 17, 2022. A building permit application was submitted October 10th, 2022. A special exception application was submitted May 15th, 2023. The applicant states the carport was built by a contractor but without a building permit.

ANALYSIS: The applicant is requesting a special exception to encroach 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport. The carport is to provide protection from the sun exposure for a person with health concerns.

The front yard setback is 20 feet along Gardenia Avenue. Front yard setbacks help to keep the character of single family residential areas by maintaining the street yard and curb appeal of properties in a subdivision.

The plat for this subdivision indicates a 5 feet utility easement adjacent to the front property line and runs concurrently with the front yard setback. The carport appears to be encroaching into the utility easement. The utility easement abandonment process would need to be undertaken in order to attempt to resolve the 5 feet carport encroachment into the utility easement.

At the Zoning Board and Adjustment and Appeals meeting of June 7, 2023 a request for an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for an existing metal carport with canvas cover was approved for Lot 74, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of August 17, 2022 a request for an encroachment of 15 feet into the 20 feet front yard setback for a proposed metal carport that was approved at Lot 12, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of June 3, 2020, a request for an encroachment of 20 feet into the 20 feet front yard serback for a proposed carport was approved for Lot 90, Ponderosa Park Phase 6 Subdivision.

There is an existing two car garage that is part of the home that is used for storage of vehicles and other items.

Measurements provided are without benefit of a survey.

Special exceptions are issued to and recorded for the present applicant/owner only. New property owners would need to apply for a new special exception request.

Staff has not received any phone calls, emails, or letters in opposition to the special exception request.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends disapproval of the request since the carport also appears to encroach into a 5 feet utility easement adjacent to the property line.

At the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals meeting of June 21, 2023 Mr. Mario Ferron the applicant, stated that years ago his wife acquired a medical conditions that does not allow her to be exposed to sunlight. She uses the garage to be able to have time with her grandchild without being in the sun. The Board voted to table the specia exception request to allow the applicant time to consider reductions to the encroachment.

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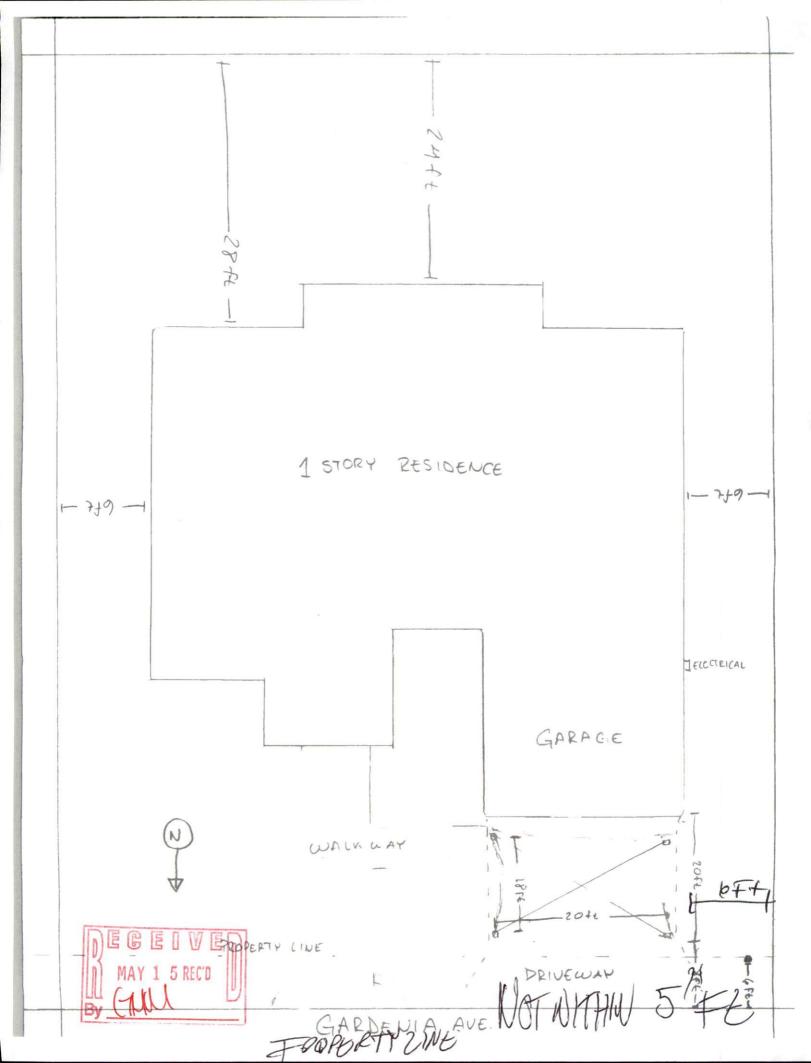
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Owner	Name MARIO FERRON Phone (950) 638-6101 Address 3409 W. GARDENIA AVE E-mail City McALLEN State TX Zip 78501
Authorization	To the best of your knowledge are there any deed restrictions, restrictive covenants, etc. which would prevent the utilization of the property in the manner indicated? Yes No I certify that I am the actual owner of the property described above and this application is being submitted with my consent (include corporate name if applicable) OR I am authorized by the actual owner to submit this application and have attached written evidence of such authorization. Signature Date Date Authorized Agent
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NEW APPOINTMENT

MC - MEETING CANCELLED

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LOQ - LACK OF QUORUM

RS - RESIGNATION



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